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Sir:

**INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT**

Pursuant to the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. 1.56, Applicants are enclosing a copy of the International Preliminary Report on Patentability (IPRP), issued by the International Bureau of WIPO on October 1, 2005, in the corresponding International Application No. PCT/EP2004/002665, together with an English-language translation of the last two pages of the Written Communication of the International Search Authority. The documents cited in the IPRP were previously cited by the Applicants in an Information Disclosure Statement filed August 19, 2005; consequently, copies of the cited documents are not being submitted herewith.

It is respectfully requested that the IPRP be placed in the file and made officially of record in this application.

A first Official Action has not yet issued for this application. Therefore, it is believed that no fees are due under 37 C.F.R. Section 1.97(b)(3).

Respectfully submitted,



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